

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re of:

Application No.:	10/526,465	Examiner:	Chi Q. Nguyen
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For:	CONSTRUCTION ELEMENT AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING IT		

RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Commissioner for Patents
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed April 1, 2009 concerning the above-identified application. Reconsideration of the final rejection of the claims of this application is respectfully requested in view of the comments and amendments presented herein.

AMENDMENTS

Amendments to the Specification

The specification is amended as shown on the following pages under the heading "AMENDMENTS TO SPECIFICATION."

Amendments to the Claims

The claims are amended as shown on the following pages under the heading "LIST OF CURRENT CLAIMS". This listing of claims supersedes all prior listings of claims presented in this application, shows the current status of all the claims in the application and shows currently proposed amendments.